

I call on you to hold an official public hearing in my state.

Before the disastrous 2003 decision to weaken media ownership rules (which a federal court has now overturned), you held only one official public hearing. Further, FCC officials met behind closed doors 71 times with major broadcasters – but only five times with public interest groups. And to justify your actions, you used deceptive, industry-sponsored research data.

The will of Big Media had been heeded at the expense of American citizens and democracy itself. This has to end. Before you rewrite the ownership rules, I demand an official public FCC hearing in my state, impartial and verifiable research, and transparent debates.

It is time to put the needs of democracy – a diverse, skeptical, independent and competitive media system – ahead of profit-hungry media giants.

Who died and made you our moral leader? You have no more right to dictate what I listen to watch than if it came from whom than the Pope himself. If I choose to listen to religious, rap or the Grand Dragon, then I have every right to. If someone doesn't want to hear what they have to say, THEN CHANGE STATIONS! I choose not to watch G-rated movies. Are you going to make me watch only those programs? If you want to, go right ahead, but don't instill your personal morals on me. How dare you and shame on your organization. Morals are personal and individual...government needs to stay out of it. I'm outraged!